



When snow, storms or other special circumstances occur that affect Ride On's ability to follow normal weekday schedules, bus service will operate under the 'S' Service Plan. Here's how it will work...

What Routes Will Operate Under the S Service Plan?

Ride On will operate **all** its weekday routes with *some* service.

How Will Service Under the S Service Plan Differ From Normal Weekday Service?

The chart inside this brochure shows the first and last trips for different parts of the day for each route under the S Plan. Although we have tried to keep them the same as a normal weekday, some are different. You should check your route for details. The chart also gives an estimated range for how often buses may run on each route, depending on road conditions. Under this plan, we are trying to provide service on each route with trips evenly-spaced apart and no major gaps in service. Buses will be operating under very difficult circumstances, **so any times listed are approximations.**

What Are the Fares When the S Plan is in Effect?

There is no change in fare policy on S Plan days.

What Happens if There is a Storm or Special Circumstance on a Weekend or a Holiday?

On **weekends**, Ride On will deploy resources, buses and operators, based on the normal Saturday and Sunday schedule requirements. We do not expect, however, normal service performance under severe storm or snow conditions. As with the weekday 'S' Plan, we will try to provide service on all those routes scheduled to operate that day, with trips evenly-spaced apart and no major gaps in service.

On **holidays**, the routes will operate as previously announced, usually meaning a Saturday or Sunday schedule. However, if Ride On normally follows a weekday schedule on that particular holiday, such as on Presidents' Day for example, the 'S' Plan could be implemented on that day if weather conditions dictated.

When Will I Know if Ride On is Operating on the S Service Plan?

The announcement to operate an S Service Plan will be made by 4 a.m. on the day the plan goes into effect. Listen to local radio or television stations for an announcement that Ride On will be operating its S Service Plan, or check the County's website at www.rideonbus.com. Other transit services in the area may use the term "S Schedule," so listen for information about **"Ride On's S Service Plan"**.

Will Ride On Use the S Service Plan Countywide, Even If Roads are Clear in Some Areas or Conditions Improve?

Once the decision is made to operate the S Service Plan, it will be in effect countywide all day, until 2 AM the next day. We do this because it would be extremely difficult to get our hundreds of buses and drivers back to their regular, more complicated daily operation. Normally at Ride On, buses and their operators move from route to route over the course of a day;

during the S Service Plan they remain on the same route all day long.

Will Ride On Buses Go Off the Regular Route to Serve Special Locations?

No. Check the chart inside this brochure or the County's website for more information about these special locations.

Will There be Route Detours?

There could be detours on your route because of icy hills or other locations that become dangerous during bad weather. Detours will be listed on the County website at www.rideonbus.com under "Detours," or call the Transit Information Center at 240-777-RIDE (7433).

Are the Bus Trip Times Shown in the Chart From the Beginning of the Route?

Yes. Use a timetable to estimate the approximate time the bus will arrive at your bus stop. **Remember to allow extra time to get to your bus stop in the case of storms when sidewalks could be dangerous.**

Your patience is appreciated as Ride On provides the best service possible during difficult conditions.

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Route

RUSH HOUR Approximate Minutes Between Buses

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Route			First Trip AM		First Trip AM		Last Trip AM		Last Trip AM		First Trip PM		First Trip PM		Last Trip PM		Last Trip PM	
			Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward	Time	Going Toward
1	25-30	35-40	507a	Friendship Heights	535a	Silver Spring							1055p	Friendship Heights	1125p	Silver Spring		
2	35-40	35-40	432a	Silver Spring	450a	Lyttonsville							1006p	Silver Spring	1047p	Lyttonsville		
3	65-70	None			702a	Silver Spring			815a	Silver Spring	508p	Takoma	621p	Takoma				
4	40-45	None	639a	Silver Spring	606a	Kensington		950a	Silver Spring	950a	Kensington	139p	Silver Spring	136p	Kensington	636p	Kensington	
5	20-25	35-40	505a	Silver Spring	505a	Twinbrook							1228a	Silver Spring	1148p	Twinbrook		
6	60-65	60-65	545a	Montgomery Mall	615a	Parkside							838P	Montgomery Mall	815p	Parkside		
7	80-85	None	638a	Kensington	720a	Wheaton		800a	Kensington	720a	Wheaton	550p	Kensington	505p	Wheaton	630p	Wheaton	
8	50-55	50-55	603a	Silver Spring	652a	Wheaton							720p	Silver Spring	725p	Wheaton		
9	30-35	40-45	512a	Silver Spring	450a	Wheaton							1018p	Silver Spring	1021	Wheaton		
10	40-45	40-45	542a	Hillandale	442a	Twinbrook							1012p	Hillandale	911p	Twinbrook		
11	40-45	None	608a	Friendship Heights			928a	Friendship Heights					243p	Silver Spring	718p	Silver Spring		
12	20-25	20-25	505a	Takoma	434a	Silver Spring							1239a	Takoma	1233a	Silver Spring		
13	35-40	None	708a	Takoma	619a	Silver Spring	745a	Takoma	915a	Silver Spring	420p	Takoma	500p	Silver Spring	629p	Silver Spring		
14	35-40	35-40	535a	Takoma	528a	Silver Spring							855p	Takoma	850p	Silver Spring		
15	10-15	10-15	509a	Langley Park	420a	Silver Spring							105a	Langley Park	1200a	Silver Spring		
16	20-25	25-30	540a	Takoma	427a	Silver Spring							1245a	Takoma	1200a	Silver Spring		
17	30-35	30-35	547a	Langley Park	441a	Silver Spring							1147p	Langley Park	1143p	Silver Spring		
18	30-50	50-55	611a	Langley Park	620a	Silver Spring							1145p	Langley Park	1115p	Silver Spring		
19	75-80	None	614a	Silver Spring			820a	Silver Spring					415p	Forest Glen Rd	745p	Forest Glen Rd		
20	15-20	20-25	426a	Silver Spring	533a	Hillandale							1202a	Hillandale	1240a	Hillandale		
21	60-65	None	606a	Silver Spring			906a	Silver Spring					330p	Briggs Chaney	730p	Briggs Chaney		
22	45-50	None	600a	Silver Spring	550a	Hillandale	830p	Silver Spring	840a	Hillandale	325p	Silver Spring	325p	Hillandale	635p	Silver Spring	645p	Hillandale
23	35-40	35-40	545a	Sibley Hospital	545a	Friendship Heights							745p	Sibley Hospital	756p	Friendship Heights		
24	35-40	None	525a	Takoma			826a	Takoma					417p	Hillandale	655p	Hillandale		
25	30-35	None	503a	Takoma	535a	Langley Park	903a	Takoma	905a	Langley Park	328p	Langley Park	325p	Takoma	658p	Takoma	730p	Langley Park
26	25-30	35-40	456a	Montgomery Mall	441a	Glenmont							1117p	Montgomery Mall	1230a	Glenmont		
28	20	20	700a	Loop									700p					
29	45-50	45-50	535a	Friendship Heights	613a	Bethesda							1005p	Friendship Heights	1005p	Bethesda		
30	45-50	45-50	553a	Bethesda	555a	Medical Center							740p	Bethesda	830p	Medical Center		
31	55-60	None	611a	Wheaton	641a	Glenmont	913a	Wheaton	841a	Glenmont	433p	Wheaton	403p	Glenmont	648p	Wheaton	713p	Glenmont
32	40-45	None	630a	NSR&DC	623a	Bethesda	900a	NSR&DC	853a	Bethesda	420p	Woodrock	319p	Bethesda	720p	Woodrock	619p	Bethesda
33	40-45	None	608a	Bethesda	604a	Glenmont	908a	Bethesda	810a	Glenmont	308p	Bethesda	304p	Glenmont	608p	Bethesda	708p	Glenmont
34	30-35	30-35	500a	Friendship Heights	520a	Wheaton							1200	Friendship Heights	1225	Wheaton		
			530a	From Aspen Hill	550a	To Aspen Hill From FH	830a	From Aspen Hill	650a	To Aspen Hill From FH	530p	From Aspen Hill	320p	To Aspen Hill From FH	6:30p	From Aspen Hill	620p	To Aspen Hill
36	35-40	35-40	603a	Bethesda	635a	Potomac							720p	Bethesda	800p	Potomac		
37	60-65	None	617a	Grosvenor	600a	Potomac	917a	Grosvenor	815a	Potomac	440p	Wheaton	359p	Potomac	740p	Wheaton	800p	Potomac
38	35-40	35-40	530a	Montgomery Mall	540a	Wheaton			915a	Grosvenor			925p	Montgomery Mall	940p	Wheaton		
39	40-45	None	607a	Glenmont	650a	Briggs Chaney	850a	Glenmont	810a	Briggs Chaney	440p	Glenmont	358p	Briggs Chaney	645p	Glenmont	730p	Briggs Chaney
41	40-45	40-45	518a	Glenmont	540a	Aspen Hill							1042p	Glenmont	1105p	Aspen Hill		

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Route Special Notes on S Service Plan

1	No Ross-Spencer service
2	No Walter Reed service - See Route 4
5	No Leafy House service
8	All trips serve Arcola Towers
9	No Montgomery Mall - Wheaton service
12	No Three Oaks Drive service. No Maple Ave service
14	No Eastern Middle School service
18	Silver Spring midday trips operate via Spring St
19	No Parkside Plaza service

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20	No Centers for the Handicapped service; no Dunoon service
22	No figure 8 loop service. No Elton Rd. service
28	Van Go Silver Spring Shuttle
29	No National Imagery service. All trips operate between Bethesda & Friendship Heights
30	No Whitley Park service
34	Peak trips operate to Aspen Hill
36	Little Falls trips operate during peak
38	No Holiday Park service. No Postal Academy service

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43	20-25	20-25	545a	Shady Grove Hospital	615a	Shady Grove							925p	Shady Grove Hospital	1005p	Shady Grove		
44	55-60	None	613a	Twinbrook	620a	Rockville	850a	Twinbrook	854a	Rockville	414p	Twinbrook	421p	Rockville	724p	Twinbrook	654p	Rockville
45	30-35	30-35	527a	Twinbrook	605a	Rockville Reg Transit Center							623p	Twinbrook	736p	Rockville Reg Transit Center		
46	20-25	25-30	500a	Medical Center	541a	Montgomery College							1230a	Medical Center	120a	Montgomery College		
47	30-35	30-35	500a	Bethesda	516a	Rockville							940p	Bethesda	923p	Rockville		
48	30-35	30-35	510a	Wheaton	526a	Rockville							920p	Wheaton	1005p	Rockville		
49	30-35	30-35	515a	Glenmont	500a	Rockville							1045p	Glenmont	1105p	Rockville		
51	50-55	None	549a	Glenmont	615a	Norbeck Park and Ride	829a	Glenmont	752a	Norbeck Park and Ride	420p	Glenmont	357p	Norbeck Park and Ride	642p	Norbeck Park and Ride		
52	40-45	None	530a	Rockville	615a	Montgomery Hospital	830a	Rockville	755a	Montgomery Hospital	450p	Rockville	400p	Montgomery Hospital	620p	Rockville	700p	Montgomery Hospital
53	55-60	None	515a	Glenmont	545a	Shady Grove	800a	Glenmont	825a	Shady Grove	400p	Glenmont	310p	Shady Grove	700p	Glenmont	720p	Shady Grove
54	35-40	40-45	457a	Rockville	511a	Lakeforest							1020p	Rockville	1010p	Lakeforest		
55	20-25	25-30	450a	Rockville	504a	Germantown							1130p	Rockville	1235a	Germantown		
56	25-30	30-35	445a	Rockville	510a	Lakeforest							945p	Rockville	955p	Lakeforest		
57	40-45	40-45	500a	Shady Grove	502a	LakeForest							1133p	Shady Grove	1132p	Lake Forest		
58	40-45	40-45	502a	Shady Grove	530a	Lake Forest							932p	Shady Grove	930p	Lake Forest		
59	25-30	35-40	449a	Rockville	520a	Montgomery Village							1205a	Rockville	1250a	Montgomery Village		
60	35-40	None	515a	Shady Grove			845a	Shady Grove					335p	Montgomery Village	720p	Montgomery Village		
61	35-40	35-40	430a	Shady Grove	510a	Germantown							1110p	Shady Grove	1140p	Germantown		
63	45-50	45-50	620a	Rockville	535a	Shady Grove							805p	Rockville	755p	Shady Grove		
64	25-30	25-30	503a	Shady Grove	547a	Montgomery Village							908p	Shady Grove	953p	Montgomery Village		
65	60-65	None	555a	Shady Grove			855a	Shady Grove					450p	Montgomery Village	650p	Montgomery Village		
66	40-45	None	602a	Traville			840a	Traville			341p	Shady Grove			620p	Shady Grove		
67	40-45	None	557a	Shady Grove			835a	Shady Grove			413p	Traville			655p	Traville		
70	35-40	None	515a	Bethesda	605a	Milestone			800a	Milestone	355p	Bethesda	257p	Milestone	615p	Bethesda	707p	Milestone
71	35-40	None	514a	Shady Grove			814a	Shady Grove					350p	Kingsview			720p	Kingsview
74	35-40	35	500a	Shady Grove	550a	Germantown									632p	Shady Grove	755p	Germantown
75	35-40	35-40	514a	Germantown	553a	MCCF									644p	Germantown	715p	MCCF
76	60-65	60-65	501a	Shady Grove From Q.O.	540a	Q.O. & Poolesville	840a	From PI Shady Grove							640p	Shady Grove	728p	Quince Orchard
			540a	S. Grove From Poolesville					740a	Poolesville From S.G.	440p	S.G. from Plve	343p	Poolesville From S.G.	643p	Poolesville		
78	35-40	None	501a	Shady Grove			801a	Shady Grove					400p	Kingsview			730p	Kingsview
79	50-55	None	506a	Shady Grove			825a	Shady Grove					342p	Clarksburg			712p	Clarksburg
81	70-75	None	600a	White Flint	600a	Rockville	900a	White Flint	900a	Rockville	315p	White Flint	315p	Rockville	645p	White Flint	720p	Rockville
83	35-40	35-40	430a	Germantown	430a	Milestone									1145p	Germantown	1145p	Milestone
90	40-45	40-45	452a	Shady Grove	451a	Woodfield									837p	Shady Grove	822p	124 & Sweepstakes
93	20	None	600a	Twinbrook			900a	Twinbrook					315p	Twinbrook			615p	Twinbrook
96	30-35	30-35	641a	Montgomery Mall	640a	Grosvenor									714p	Montgomery Mall	740p	Grosvenor
97	35-40	35-40	430a	Germantown Transit Center	Loop-Clockwise in am until 11:30a trip		Loop- Counter Clockwise starting with 12:05p trip		Loop- Counter Clockwise starting with 12:05p trip until 11:45p		Loop- Counter Clockwise starting with 12:05p trip until 11:45p		1145p					
98	35-40	35-40	430a	Germantown Transit Center	Loop-Clockwise in am until 11:30a trip		Loop- Counter Clockwise starting with 12:05p trip						1145p					
100	15	15	500a	Shady Grove	510a	Germantown							1200a	Shady Grove			1138p	Germantown

Route Special Notes on S Service Plan

43	No Falls Grove service
45	No Senior Center trips
46	There will be no service to or from Shady Grove
52	No Avery Rd Treatment Center service
53	No Magruder HS service. No Marian Assisted Living service
54	No NIST service. No Muddy Branch & Diamond service
56	No GE service. No PSTA service
59	No Walker's Choice service towards Montgomery Village
61	No MARC service: No Germantown Comm. Cntr. Service.No Timed Transfers

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63	Peak Gaither Rd trips operate. There will be midday service between Picard & Gude to/from Shady Grove
74	No Timed Transfers
76	Peak service operates to Poolesville
83	No Timed Transfers. Peak service to MARC Station
96	All buses to/from Montgomery Mall
97	No Timed Transfers. Peak service to MARC Station will operate. Normal switch in direction applies.
98	No Timed Transfers. Normal switch in direction applies. No Churchill Senior Living service
100	No Timed Transfers



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